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In re Patent Application of:
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For: NOVEL MULTI-BRANCHED POLYMER

Examiner: B. R. Fink

AMENDMENT IN RESPONSE TO NON-FINAL OFFICE ACTION

MS Amendment
Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Madam:

INTRODUCTORY COMMENTS

This is in response to the Office Action mailed June 4, 2009. This response is being filed with a petition for a two month retroactive extension of time and the required fees. Although, Applicant believes that no further extensions of time or fees are required with submission of this paper, Applicant requests that this submission also be considered as a petition for any further extensions of time if necessary. The Commissioner for Patents and Trademarks is hereby authorized to charge the amount due for any retroactive extensions of time and any deficiency in any fees due with the filing of this paper or credit any overpayment in any fees paid on the filing or during prosecution of this application to Deposit Account No. 04-0100.

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 9 of this paper.